

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Middle District of North Carolina

United States of America

v.

Case No. 1:21MJ61-1

LAURA STEELE

Defendant

Charging District's Case No. 21MJ225

FILED  
in the Middle District of  
North CarolinaFebruary 17, 2021  
1:00 pmClerk, US District Court  
By: dmkWAIVER OF RULE 5 & 5.1 HEARINGS  
(Complaint or Indictment)I understand that I have been charged in another district, the (name of other court) DISTRICT OF  
COLUMBIA

I have been informed of the charges and of my rights to:

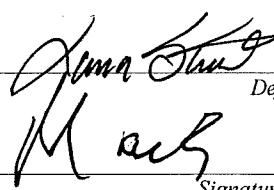
- (1) retain counsel or request the assignment of counsel if I am unable to retain counsel;
- (2) an identity hearing to determine whether I am the person named in the charges;
- (3) production of the warrant, a certified copy of the warrant, or a reliable electronic copy of either;
- (4) a preliminary hearing to determine whether there is probable cause to believe that an offense has been committed, to be held within 14 days of my first appearance if I am in custody and 21 days otherwise, unless I have been indicted beforehand.
- (5) a hearing on any motion by the government for detention;
- (6) request a transfer of the proceedings to this district under Fed. R. Crim. P. 20, to plead guilty.

I agree to waive my right(s) to:

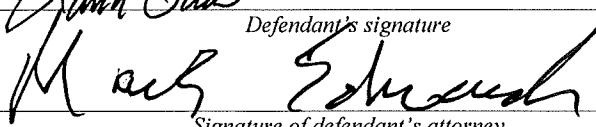
- an identity hearing and production of the warrant.
- a preliminary hearing.
- a detention hearing.
- an identity hearing, production of the judgment, warrant, and warrant application, and any preliminary or detention hearing to which I may be entitled in this district. I request that my
- preliminary hearing and/or  detention hearing be held in the prosecuting district, at a time set by that court.

I consent to the issuance of an order requiring my appearance in the prosecuting district where the charges are pending against me.

Date: 02/17/2021



Defendant's signature



Signature of defendant's attorney

Mark Edwards

Printed name of defendant's attorney